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An Early Morning Fire.

Fire was discovered in T. J. Sauter's saloon about 4:15 o'clock Friday morning by two Mexicans who happened to be passing. They gave the alarm and in response to the fire whistle the Fire Company and a great many of the citizens turned out. Owing to the dense smoke it was a long time before the fire could be located, but water was thrown into the building from two four inch hose and after some time the fire was overcome.

It is supposed to have originated in a rat's nest under an ice-box near the center of the building on the north side of the floor and several floor joists were burned out near the middle of the building. A great deal of damage was done to the building, to Mr. Sauter's stock and fixtures and to Mr. Morris' restaurant utensils. It is almost impossible to estimate the loss but it will probably exceed \$2,500. It is partially covered with insurance.

While assisting around the building Mr. Sauter had the misfortune to fall and fracture two of his ribs which will probably confine him to his bed for some days.

Dangerous Business.

Between ten and eleven o'clock Sunday, December 13th, while H. H. Balzen and family were enjoying a quiet Sabbath at home, they heard a shot fired apparently some half a mile or more from the house. In an instant a bullet crashed through a window pane, missed Mr. Balzen's head by about an inch and a half, struck Miss Lorine Balzen on the hand slightly bruising it, and having spent itself, fell to the floor and was picked up by Mr. Balzen. The bullet was of the 25-35 steel jacket variety and had been fired from a high power gun. The point of it had been smashed showing that it had struck some hard substance and doubtless deflected from its original course. Mr. Balzen is keeping it as a souvenir of a bad scare and one which he hopes will not be repeated. People using high-powered guns can not be too careful with them.

Card of Thanks.

To our many friends who were so kind during the long illness and death of our dear husband, father and grandfather; to Rev. Falkenberg, who spoke such comforting words to our broken hearts, and to those who covered the casket with beautiful flowers, we tender our sincerest thanks.

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"CHILDREN are conservative beings, even old-fashioned, when it comes to choosing toys. They aren't up to date and as full of the modern spirit of progress and invention as the toymakers believe them to be."

Thus spoke one who is a sort of professional Santa Claus—that is, he has played the part at so many Sunday school Christmas parties that he sometimes imagines he is growing cotton whiskers.

"They display the same quaint, simple, old-fashioned taste as their grandfathers and grandmothers when they were children," he continued. "Most of them, do, anyhow. Every year the toy manufacturers break loose with a new crop of automatic racing cars, aeroplanes, submarines, fire engines and kicking donkeys. If the children were constructed on the same nervous clock-work plan, they would give old Santa Claus no rest unless he kept up with all the modern inventions. Instead of toy soldiers they would demand mortar batteries, and they would not be satisfied with mooley cows, but would demand that they have pedigrees and give only certified milk and cream."

"They would not accept a Noah's ark unless it was a combination of the steamship Lusitania and a modern cement bungalow, with sleeping porches, twin-screw propellers, electric searchlights, wireless apparatus, second chattel mortgage—in fact, all the comforts of ship and home complete. They would require Mr. Noah to carry a pilot's license as well as a college degree in natural history. All the animals would have to be trained to do tricks, and poor Noah's family would have a fine time herding them while wearing wooden raincoats and stove-pipe hats."

"Fortunately children, real children, are not constructed that way. They want their arks on the old-fashioned plan, whereby you lift off the roof and find Noah minus his head, and most of the animals trying to hobble on three legs."

"Automobiles in miniature, with real

upholstered seats and rubber tires may fascinate a small boy for a few hours, but you'd better place your faith in a good, old-fashioned rocking horse, with saddle and stirrups, and a mane and tail of real hair. The rocking horse is not going out of fashion by a long way, and I predict that in the horseless age, if that time ever comes, our children's children will be jerking the mane of a wooden 'horsey' and whipping him on his painted flanks, and trying to feed him crackers. Also, they'll be falling off his back and bumping their little foreheads in the old-fashioned way, and 'horsey' will have to be thrashed and locked up in the clothes closet for his bad behavior."

"And as for dolls, you've got to give them real 'baby dolls' and not grand ladies in the latest tango gowns and hats. For the last 50 years or so doting parents who are well to do have been trying the experiment of presenting their little girls with waxen fashion models—only to find the precious one crying for the rag baby of the laundress' daughter. Children show the real mother instinct when they spurn the 'play-chick' which is too dressy and up to date."

"I have one friend, the father of a large and lively family. I make him happy every Christmas time by presenting his kids with a bunch of cheap, mechanical toys. After about half an hour of winding them up, the little ones tire of the clicking wonders and return to their woolly dogs, rubber dolls and other simple favorites. That is when father's fun begins. He insists on winding up the toys and running them all Christmas day, ostensibly for the pleasure of his youngsters. He does not cease winding until the toys begin to get out of order, and then he has the additional pleasure of trying to repair them."

Sometimes I think that a manufacturer could make a fortune selling toys just for grown-ups. Seeing a bunch of adults busy working mechanical toys reminds me of the time when the whole family insists on taking little Johnny to the circus."

Died.

Death invaded the home and claimed as his victim Mr. Jos. Breiten at 4:30 o'clock P. M. Saturday, December 12, 1914.

Mr. Breiten had been in bad health for several years, and had been confined to his bed for several months. He suffered with Pernicious Anemia which finally caused his death.

The remains were laid to rest in the new cemetery at five o'clock Sunday afternoon. Rev. A. Falkenberg, pastor of the Hondo Lutheran church, conducted the funeral service in a most touching manner.

One of the largest crowds ever assembled at a funeral in Hondo was present to show its last respects to

the departed and there were many beautiful floral offerings placed on his last resting place.

Mr. Breiten was born Jan. 31, 1849, and was therefore, 65 years, 10 months and 12 days of age at the time of his demise. He was married on Jan. 20, 1872, to Miss Katherine Newmann, and was the father of eight children, six of whom, with their mother, survive him. The living children are two girls and four boys. Their names are as follows: Mesdames Joe Wernette of Biry, and Emil Weber of Utopia, Messrs. John Breiten of D'Hanis, Will Breiten of Hondo, Louie Breiten of Hondo, and Ed Breiten of Cline. He is also survived by twenty-two grandchildren, one brother, seven half sisters and one half brother.

To the bereaved family and relatives we extend our sincerest sympathy.

The Stock Law Election.

On another page will be found the election order and notice for a stock law election to be held here Tuesday, December 22nd.

This election has been called at the request of those with an eye to civic beauty. It is generally conceded that the town cow is a nuisance. Trees and shrubbery can no where be planted now without the protection of a fence and in some instances even these have been known to fail. If the election carries people can beautify their premises without the expense of maintaining fences and with some assurances of the plants not being destroyed.

On the other hand, it is urged that premises are already fenced, there are few fence-breakers among the tractable Jersey cows that now, for the most part, roam our streets, and it may be that there are families who haven't room enough to keep a cow on their own premises and who, by giving her the range of the village common, where what she eats is mostly waste anyway and would have to be disposed of otherwise, could keep a cow to great advantage.

There may be other reasons both pro and con that appear as weighty as these to some. But we believe these will be the points upon which the issue will be decided.

It is our intention in this article merely to call attention to the matter and urge that it is the duty of every citizen to weigh carefully the facts and cast their votes for what they deem the best interests of the community.

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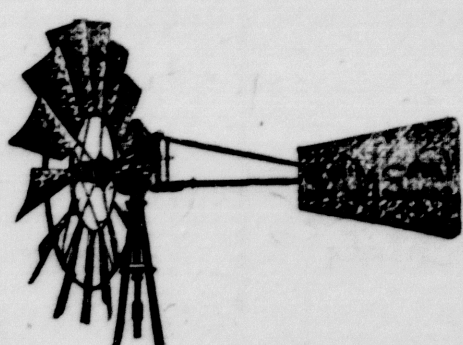
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AY, believe me, the fellows were glad to see me back again," said George Porter to the family at the dinner table. "Professor Parr said I looked like a college man, and all the fellows said I had changed a great deal since September."

George had just arrived a few hours before for his first vacation back from college. He had, indeed, been very anxious to get home again among his old friends. The weary hours on the train he had whiled away by telling the other boys about all the dances he was going to attend with Dorothy Smyth, "some classy girl from Bryn Mawr."

In the course of the dinner Doctor Porter could not but take down his son a little. The all-important fraternity man was roasted considerably for his overbearing manner. However, George took it all with the stoic dignity of the captain of the freshman football team. As a matter of fact dad sank considerably in his son's estimation.

After dinner George's older sister Mary asked him whether he was going to call up Dorothy for the Christmas dance at the Hadley's.

"Aw, pshaw, here a fellow works his head off at school," said George in his best bluff, "he comes home for a little rest, and then you expect him to dance. And half the girls at school have it on Dorothy anyhow."

"What are you going to give her for Christmas?" said Mary, hiding a smile, for she knew just how George felt about Dorothy.

"Gee, I never thought about that; and I've but ten cents to my name." This last statement showed just how good a time he had with his fraternity brothers the last days before vacation.

"Make it C. O. D., George. Call on dad; he'll give all you'll need." "Not on your life," came back George, "a college man must be able to shift for himself. Why, half the fellows work their way. I'll go out to earn the money myself tomorrow. Besides, I've been roasted enough."

True to his word George Porter was out early the next morning looking for remunerative toil. A window-card in a large cafeteria "Help Wanted" arrested his attention. He strolled up to the fat proprietor, seated behind the cash register, and honored him by offering him a college man's services. "Any experience in the kitchen?" he was asked.

In spite of the fact that the total of George's kitchen experience consisted of a few evening's fudge-making at Dorothy's, he said boldly, "I sure have."

"Where?" This confused him a little. "Aw—er—at a friend's last winter." "So you've been at Friend's cafe? Well, I'll take you. A dollar and a half a day and meals. Just go to the kitchen and get a white coat."

George had bluffed and he was going to make good the bluff. He rushed around at a great speed sending the soiled dishes to the kitchen. Accidentally he picked up half a piece of lemon pie the owner of which had just gone to the lee water faucet to replenish her glass. "Wait a minute with my pie, if you please," said the old maid victim of George's zeal. "No, I won't take anything back out of the mess on your tray, either. You go and get me another at your expense."

The hero of many a football battle here showed a yellow streak. He bought the pie for the injured guest. Probably due to his anger over "the old hen" he next scattered the silver all over the floor. Without the least thought of sanitation he replaced it on the stand. Suddenly the boss told him to carry all the silver to the kitchen to have it washed. Here the angry Irish cook gave him a hot reception. "Why didn't you just take it to the kitchen and back. The guests would have thought it was clean, but now they kicked to the boss. Take a boy, he has no idea of cleanliness." Christmas shoppers coming into the cafeteria reminded George of his gift. One dollar-fifty was not much, but he would not ask dad for more under any consideration. Finally he decided on something that has been the last resource of many a young man—a box of candy.

A whole day with soiled dishes, half-consumed food, and scolding was bad enough, but the worst came when two of George's pals came in during the afternoon. Like a maiden surprised at her dip at the spring, George went into hiding. The manager happened to see him ducking behind the counter, and asked him, what ailed him.

"Pet, don't let them see me!" said George.

"Who? Are the police after ye?" said the manager and grabbed him by the collar.

This was too much for George. He bowed over the manager and rushed

into the kitchen. His friends laughed and thought their part.

The manager followed George. "Him," he sneered. "Some of your friends from the swell side of the fence. Well, Archibald, you can hide your pretty face in the kitchen after this. Just go and work the dish-washer."

George never had been so mad in his life. He would have "busted the fathead's bean," but for Dorothy's sake he stayed. Besides he was no quitter, but worked like a hero at whatever work he had set out to do. No Satan in the inferno could have felt more anger at the sinners he was immersing in the fiery pools than George did toward the innocent dishes of which he immersed bucket after bucket in the patent dish-washer to the impatient shouts of the girls, "Shoot more dishes, Archibald!"

Finally at six o'clock, tired and sweating, George left the place. He felt just a bit doubtful about his chances; "What would she say?"

When George was about to leave Dorothy at the door of the Smyth mansion after the dance on Christmas night, she turned to him to say, "Of all my presents I liked your box of candy best. It was the sweetest thing. And Donald says he saw you working for it. You shouldn't go to so much trouble just for me, George." "Trouble, Dorothy? Don't mention it." And with somewhat of an effort



"I Sure Have."

he added, "I had lots of fun; besides, I was working for you."

Dorothy's head sank just a little lower.

"Dorothy," said George, softly, "couldn't I work for you all my life?" George placed his hands on Dorothy's fur cap and pressed back gently. Her head rose slowly and their lips met for one long second.

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Manager Woodward Ranch.

Posted.

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Posted.

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Notice.

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Posted.

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Posted.

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Posted.

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Posted.

My pastures are posted according to law and all hunters or trespassers are advised to keep out. pd. Feb. 1. J. D. SMITH.

Posted.

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Stock Law Election Order And Notice.

Whereas, a petition signed by eighty-seven voters of Hondo Independent School District of Medina County, Texas has been presented to the Commissioner's Court of the County of Medina, asking and requesting that an election be ordered held for the purpose of determining whether or not horses, mules, jacks, jennets and cattle shall be permitted to run at large within the limits of said Hondo Independent School District of Medina County as heretofore established, and recorded in Minute Book No. 6 page 425, of the Commissioner's Court of Medina County Texas, said petition being in terms of law, same was granted.

Therefore, it is hereby ordered by Commissioner's Court and the County Judge of Medina County, Texas, that an election be held according to the laws of the State of Texas, at the Court House in Hondo, in said Hondo Independent School District on Tuesday the twenty-second day of December, A. D. 1914, at which election the following proposition shall be submitted: "Shall horses, mules, jacks, jennets and cattle be permitted to run at large within the limits of said Hondo Independent School District of Medina County, Texas."

The following named persons are hereby appointed to hold said election: E. R. Leinweber, Presiding Judge; Vernon King, Fritz Frerichs, Nic Koch, Isaac Wilson, J. G. Newton, John Frerichs and F. G. Muennink.

Said election shall be held under the provisions of an Act of the 29th Legislature, Laws of 1899, page 220, and Amendments thereto, and only qualified voters under the Constitution and Laws holding a Poll Tax Receipt or an Exemption Receipt and a Free Holder, (owns land) resident of said Hondo Independent School District shall be entitled to vote, and all voters desiring to prevent the animals above designated from running at large shall place upon their ballots, the words, "FOR THE STOCK LAW", and those in favor of allowing said animals to run at large, shall place upon their ballots, the words, "AGAINST THE STOCK LAW".

The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the laws of the State governing and regulating General Elections, in so far as same are applicable.

A copy of this order signed by the County Judge of Medina County, shall serve as proper notice of election. I, H. E. HAASS, County Judge of Medina County, adopt the above order as my election notice and proclamation.

Given under my hand and seal of office, at Hondo, Texas, this 13th day of November, A. D. 1914. H. E. HAASS, County Judge Medina County, Texas.

Citation by Publication of Final Account.

THE STATE OF TEXAS. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Medina County, Greeting:

Whereas, P. H. Hensch, Executor of the Estate of Gerd J. Gerdes, deceased, having filed in our County Court his Final Account of the condition of the Estate of said Gerd J. Gerdes, deceased, numbered 761 on the Probate Docket of Medina County, together with an application to be discharged from said Trust as such Executor.

You Are Hereby Commanded, That by publication of this Writ for twenty days in a Newspaper printed in the County of Medina, you give due notice to all persons interested in the Account for Final Settlement of said Estate, to appear and contest the same if they see proper so to do on or before the January Term, 1915, of said County Court, commencing and to be held at the Court House of said County, in the town of Hondo, Texas, on the 4th day of January, A. D. 1915, when said Account and Application will be acted upon by said Court.

Given Under My Hand and seal of said Court, at my office in the town of Hondo, Texas, this 4th day of December, A. D. 1914.

(SEAL) S. A. JUNGMAN, Clerk, County Court, Medina County. I Hereby Certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Original Writ now in my hands. J. F. BADER, Sheriff, Medina County.

The Magic Washing Stick.

"I cannot speak highly enough in praise of the Magic Washing Stick. It saves half the labor in washing. Makes the clothes sweet, clean and white as snow without the use of rub-board," writes Mrs. R. M. Cardwell, Forney, Texas. Sold by druggists three 10c sticks for 25c, or by mail from A. B. Richards Medicine Co., Sherman, Texas.

The poet wears his hair long because there is no short-cut to fame.

Only One "BROMO QUININE"

To get the genuine, call for full name, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for signature of E. W. GROVE. Cures a Cold in One Day. Stops cough and headache, and works off cold. 25c.

Give and forgive is a good codicil to attach to the Golden rule.

Sheriff's Sale

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF MEDINA. Whereas, by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District Court of Medina County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said Court on the 7th day of November, A. D. 1914, in favor of W. E. Dickey and T. E. Vandlingham and against E. Benton Powers and J. R. Aiken, No. 1744 on the Docket of said Court, I did, on the 7th day of December, A. D. 1914, at 10 o'clock A. M., levy upon the following described tract of land, lying and being situated in Medina County, Texas, to-wit:

Section No. 588, in the name of Pinckney & Barrow, containing 298 acres of land, belonging to the said E. Benton Powers by virtue of a vendor's lien deed from the said J. R. Aiken and located in the Southern portion of said county; and on the 5th day of January, A. D. 1915, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. on said day, at the court house door of said Medina County, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said defendants, E. Benton Powers and J. R. Aiken, in and to said property.

Dated at Hondo, Texas, this 7th day of December, A. D. 1914. J. F. BADER, Sheriff of Medina County, Texas.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy—The Mother's Favorite.

"I give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to my children when they have colds or coughs," writes Mrs. Verne Shaffer, Vandergrift, Pa. It always helps them and is far superior to any other cough medicine I have used. I advise anyone in need of such a medicine to give it a trial." For sale by All Dealers.

G. H. & S. A. Passenger Train Schedule.

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No. 7 Arrives..... 1:00 P. M.
No. 9 Arrives..... 11:30 P. M.
EAST BOUND
No. 10 Arrives..... 7:07 P. M.
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"Two years ago I was greatly benefited through using two or three bottles of Chamberlain's Tablets," writes Mrs. S. A. Keller, Elida, Ohio. "Before taking them I was sick for two years with indigestion." Sold by All Dealers.

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"I feel it my duty to tell others what Chamberlain's Tablets have done for me," writes Mrs. L. Dunlap, of Oak Grove, Mich. "I have suffered with pains in my back and under my shoulder blade for a number of years, also with a poor appetite and constipation. I tried all of the remedies that I heard of, and a number of doctors, but got no relief. Finally a friend told me to try Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. I got a bottle of them and they soon helped my stomach; by their gentle action my bowels became more regular. Today I feel like praising them to all who suffer as I did, for they have cured me and made my life worth living."



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A Barbed Wire Cut, Collar or Saddle Gait not properly healed leaves a disfiguring scar.

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If the wound is cleansed and the liniment applied promptly, the healing process begins at once and the wound heals from the inside outwardly, thus performing a perfect cure that leaves no scar. If the wound heals on the outside too quickly, pus forms under the surface and breaks out into a running sore that is hard to cure and inevitably leaves a bad scar. Owners of blooded stock prefer this liniment to all others for that reason, and they use it not only on fine animals, but on human flesh, as it does its work quickly and thoroughly. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00. James F. Ballard, Prop. St. Louis, Mo. Stephens Eye Salve is a healing ointment for Sore Eyes.

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Lard cans, Holloway Bros.
Turkey roasters, Holloway Bros.
Sausage stuffers, Holloway Bros.
Land? land? See Hondo Land Co.
All kinds of canned goods at Heyen's.
Cleaning and Pressing at City Tailor Shop.

Cigars and smoking tobacco at Fritz Heyen's.

Joe Bader was a passenger west Thursday.

For Sale—300 White Leghorn hens. Will Beal.

Box candy—all sizes and prices—at Gumbert's.

Get a good cooking stove at Holloway Bros'.

Fresh Grape Fruit and Pine Apples at Heyen's.

Ladies, order your coat suits from S. G. Carter.

Turkeys 10c per pound at the Hondo Commission Co.

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Joe Ney was a business visitor to San Antonio yesterday.

Henry Rothe returned Wednesday from a business trip to San Antonio.

Let us have your order for a shop-made wagon bed. L. A. Mechler & Co.

1915 BUICK, Model 25 C. Sample in stock. The quality car. C. R. Gaines.

See Anderson for box apples, onion sets, all kinds of.

We are ready to set your wagon tires on short notice. Muchler & Co. 48-49

Mr. and Mrs. Armin Bendele of Black creek were shopping in town Wednesday.

For Sale—Two good residences in the south part of Hondo. Apply to C. W. Gilliam. 44.

Wait for the big show coming soon—"At the Old Rock Quarry," by the best of local talent.

Up to Wednesday night of this week there had been shipped from this place this season 5861 bales of cotton.

Among the week's shipments from this point were seven cars of corn, one of hay and one of cotton-seed.

The dramatic event of the season, at the Auditorium soon—"At the Old Rock Quarry," benefit of the Rebekah lodge.



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Sausage stuffers, Holloway Bros.

Hubert Butts was a passenger east Tuesday.

Buy your groceries at the Palace of Sweets.

Ferd. Reinhardt was over from Sabinal Tuesday.

Murphy Beal was a Castroville visitor Wednesday.

A. G. Walker was a San Antonio visitor Monday.

For all kinds of nuts go to Hutzler's confectionery.

Wm. Noonan was over from Dunlay Monday on business.

Every battery tested before being sent out. C. R. Gaines.

Corn or cotton seed taken on mattress work at Hale's. 44.

T. C. Barnes was a San Antonio visitor the first of the week.

Mrs. Arnold Baizer is back from her visit to home-folks at Kyle.

August Schreiber was a business caller at this office Saturday.

Mrs. P. H. Lynch went to Uvalde yesterday on a visit to friends.

Mr. Matt Santhoff came in yesterday from a visit to San Antonio.

Mrs. Ernest Balzen is reported seriously ill at her home near Dunlay.

E. Kilborn, the tinner, went to D'Hanis yesterday to ply his trade.

Until further notice will pay \$15.00 per ton for cotton seed at Holloway's gin.

Dr. C. W. Reagan, veterinarian, will be in Hondo Tuesday, Dec. 29, 1914.

For Sale Cheap—A sewing machine. Almost as good as new. Apply at this office.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Schmitt came in yesterday from a visit to San Antonio.

For Sale—A good horse and buggy or will trade for a milk cow. Apply to H. E. Haass, Hondo.

Just received—Pictorial Review patterns and also Pictorial Review Magazines. Sugarman Supply Co.

Mrs. Gertrude Sauter came over yesterday morning from D'Hanis to visit her son, T. J. Sauter.

For Sale—A few wine and whiskey barrels in good condition, 75c each. Ed. Zinsmeyer, D'Hanis, Texas.

Mrs. E. F. Wilson and baby arrived Tuesday from Luling on a visit to Mrs. Wilson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hancock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hall and baby of Bertram, Texas, arrived last Thursday on a visit to Mrs. Hall's mother, Mrs. J. H. Berry.

For first class cleaning and pressing phone the City Tailor Shop, phone 125. We will call for your clothes and deliver them promptly.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Murphy arrived Tuesday on a visit to their daughters, Mead and F. A. Brown and Jack Fueselman, at this place.

The basket ball girls of the first team will play Uvalde High School Saturday, Dec. 12th, on the local court on public square. Price, 15c.

We all lose if you fail to see that sensational play, "At the Old Rock Quarry," which holds the boards at the Auditorium in the near future.

Say, see what happens "At the Old Rock Quarry," delightfully portrayed by a superb and talented cast of local actors. Benefit of the Rebekah lodge.

Send or bring us your Christmas orders now. If we haven't what you want, let us order it for you. W. H. Windrow, Santa Claus' headquarters.

Nine trains loaded with United States soldiers and their equipment passed through here Thursday and Thursday night en route to the Mexico Arizona border.

Hereafter there will be only three shows weekly at the Star Theatre—Tuesday, Friday and Saturday nights. Remember the nights and be sure to attend.

Children, have you thought what you want Old Santa to bring you? He is now making up a lot of things to leave at Windrow's drug store, where he has his headquarters.

Joe Biediger, Jr., and Charles Maurer were here Wednesday from Castroville on business. Mr. Maurer is the manufacturer of the celebrated Castroville made cigar.

A Grand New Year's Ball will be given at Wernette's Opera House at Castroville on Friday night, January 1, 1915. A fine orchestra will furnish the music. Come one, come all.

H. E. Haass, Attorney at Law, Surveyor's Office, Courthouse, Hondo, Texas. All legal matters carefully attended to, in all courts of Texas. Twenty-six years experience.

Everybody is cordially invited, and the most courteous treatment assured all who will attend the Grand New Year's Ball at Wernette's Opera House, at Castroville, on Friday night, January 1, 1915.

Mrs. Felix Batot, accompanied by her brother, Walter Rothe, and sister, Miss Elsie Rothe, went to New Orleans Saturday to consult a specialist in regard to Miss Elsie's health. They returned home Wednesday evening.

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New stock of Columbia batteries always on hand. C. R. Gaines.

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A San Antonio Business College Scholarship for sale at this office. 44.

Buy your milk from Prairie Farm Dairy, Tom Heath, proprietor, Phone 28, R. 11.

W. O. Victor came down yesterday from Uvalde to look after his bee interests here.

A number of second hand cars for sale cheap. See them at the Hondo Auto Sales Co. garage.

Why feed a cow when you can buy milk from the Prairie Farm Dairy at 75c per quart. Phone 28 R. 11.

Wanted—Plain Sewing, Embroidering and Hemstitching to do. Prices reasonable. Apply at this office.

Martin Zinsmeyer, Jake Koch, Alfred Koch and John Nester of D'Hanis autowed over to Hondo last Sunday.

Martin McNutt has gone to Knippa where he is holding down the telegraph keys for the Southern Pacific.

Fred W. Smith, who was shot while asleep Saturday night December 5th, is now able to be up and in recovering rapidly.

Just as predicted A. J. Swearingen's Golden Wyandotte chickens took every prize in that breed of birds at the Uvalde poultry show last week.

Messdames Will Nagel, Ed. Zinsmeyer, H. S. Longley and Miss Clair Zinsmeyer, all of D'Hanis, were visiting in Hondo Wednesday, coming over in Mr. Ed. Zinsmeyer's car.

Messrs. Aug. Schroeder, Robt. Richter and Edgar Stiegler of Hondo composed a hunting party that visited D'Hanis last Tuesday. They were accompanied home by Mr. Joe Sauter.

Mr. John Breiten of D'Hanis came over to Hondo last Sunday to attend the funeral of his father, Mr. Joe Breiten, who died last Saturday and was buried in the Hondo cemetery Sunday afternoon.

When you want to buy or exchange a gas tank for your car call on the Hondo Auto Sales Co. Small tanks \$12.50, Large tanks \$15, fully equipped and put on your car ready for use.

Tank exchange, \$1.50 and \$1.75. Why pay more? Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded.

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Solid Gold, Gold Filled and Gold Plated Jewelry.

Solid Gold Cuff Buttons, \$3.00 to \$5.00.

Solid Gold Tie Holders, \$2.00 to \$4.00.

Gold Filled Tie Holders, 25c to \$1.00.

Solid Gold Brooches, \$3.00 to \$12.00.

Solid Gold Beauty Pins, \$1.00 to \$3.00 a set.

Gold Filled Beauty Pins, 25c to 75c a set.

Solid Gold Rings, Plain and Set, \$2.50 to \$15.00.

Diamond Lavaliers with Genuine Cut Diamonds, from \$10.00 to \$15.00.

CUT GLASS---

Cut Glass Puff Boxes, \$3.00 to \$5.00.

Perfume Bottles, \$3.00 to \$5.00.

Fruit Bowls, \$4 to \$6. Pen Trays, \$2.50 to \$3.50.

Salt and Pepper Shakers, \$1.50 to \$3.00.

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Nice Christmas Stationery at all prices.

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From a tiny doll to a large one. From 10c to \$7.00.

We will be glad to store your goods and deliver them on the 24th. SHOP NOW WHILE YOU CAN.

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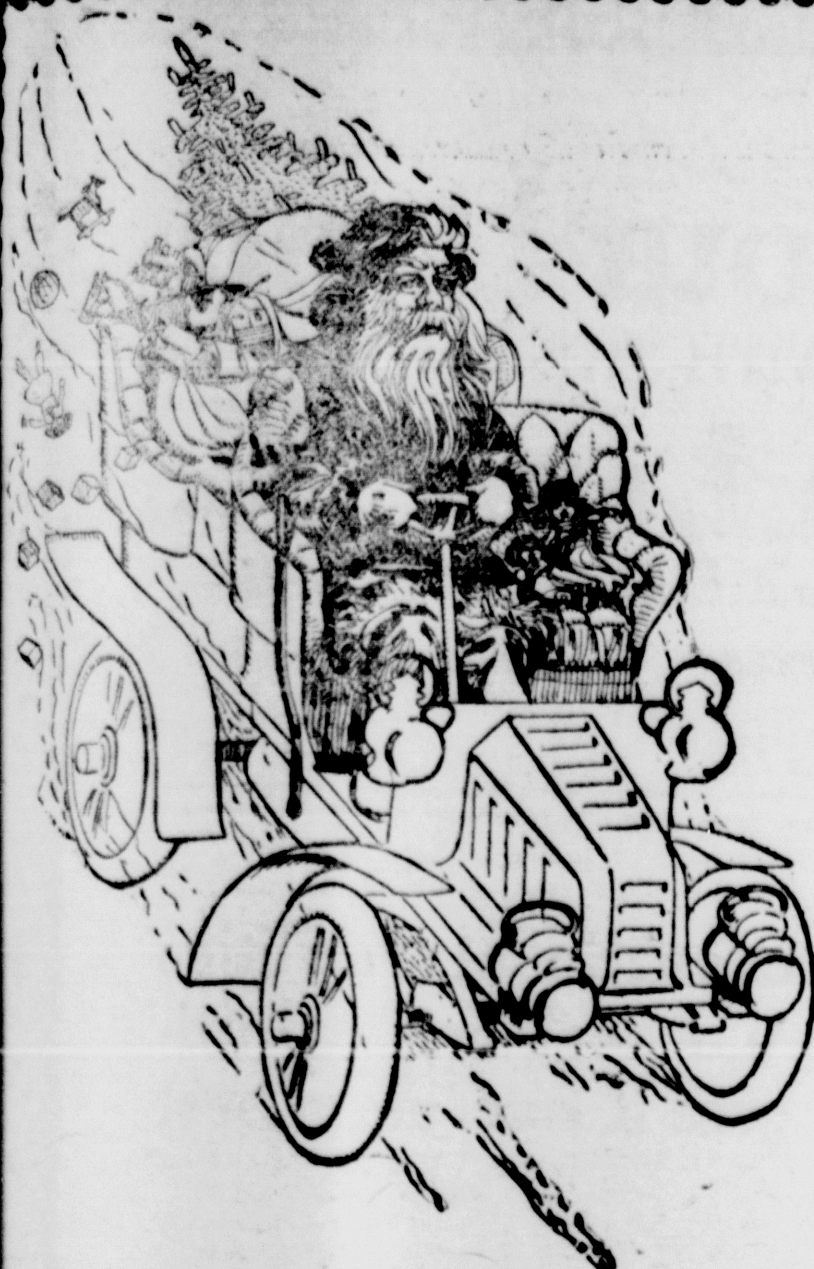
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Toys, Dolls, Fire Works, Manicure Sets, Mirrors, Military Brushes, Toilet Sets, Ash Trays, Hair Receivers. In fact, Gift Goods in endless profusion.

You can buy "His" favorite brand of Cigars here by the box. We carry some of the best 5c cigars on the market. \$1.00 and \$1.75 per box.

Silverware would make an appropriate gift. Why not give a set of Spoons, Knives or Forks for a Christmas present.

Take advantage of every pretty day and do your Christmas shopping. We will be glad to store your goods for you and deliver them the day before Christmas.

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Aluminum ware, Holloway Bros.
Buy your bread at the Palace of Sweets.
Extracted honey at 75c a gallon. J. T. Smith.
Buy your telephone batteries at C. R. Gaines'.
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Box Apples in large variety and reasonable prices at F. A. Heyen's.
Try the Anvil Herald one year for one dollar—less than two cents a week.
Phone 125, the City Tailor Shop, when your clothes need cleaning or pressing.
We can print most any thing in the job printing line. Get the Anvil Herald's prices.
Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McClain returned Wednesday from a visit to the Alamo City.
Misses Etta and Nettie Blackburn of Biry visited their sister, Mrs. T. M. Griffith, last week-end.
For Sale, A 3-acre block of land half a mile south of depot at Hondo. J. A. Blackburn, Devine, Texas.
John G. Heyen is sick with pneumonia, but at last report was improving as rapidly as could be hoped for.
J. A. Weyerts came down from Alpine yesterday on a visit to Henry and Willie Poehler and other relatives in this section.
For Sale, A desirable building site in the Brown-Woods Addition to Hondo. For particulars apply to either member of the Hondo Land Co.
Henry V. and Herman E. Haass and F. G. Muennink were surveying and incidentally hunting up on Cypress Creek the first of the week.
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Zerr of D'Hanis were trading in Hondo yesterday. They presented this office with as fine a turnip and radish as we have ever seen.
Mr. and Mrs. Rothwell, who have been here some time in the interest of the Yeoman order, left yesterday for their home in San Antonio.
This paper will be issued a little early next week on account of Christmas. Parties having copy for the paper are urged to get it in early.
For Sale, A new five-room house and two large lots in Fly Addition to Hondo. Big barn and outhouses. For price and terms see S. E. Heber or write him at Tarpley. 4t.
The first of the week was the coldest weather of the winter, ice forming several nights. As we go to press it is warmer and drizzling. Roads are so muddy as to make travel almost impossible.
Mr. and Mrs. Leopold Brieden Jr. and baby returned to their home in San Antonio Thursday after a two month's stay here with Mr. Brieden's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leopold Brieden Sr.
At the regular meeting of the local lodge of Odd Fellows Thursday night four candidates were given the third degree. The attendance contest is attracting considerable interest and so far remains a tie.
This has been a quiet week at the courthouse, almost nothing of news value occurring. A license trial of a Mexican woman from Lytle was begun but had to be postponed on account of absent witnesses.

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Meals served at all hours at the Palace of Sweets.
Fresh fruits of all kinds at Hutzler's confectionery.

Any of The Times subscribers not receiving The Anvil Herald this week or any one receiving two copies of the paper is requested to call at this office and help us adjust your subscription on our list.

Fresh chocolates and all kind of candy at Hutzler's.

For Sale—Mandylor incubators, good as new. Will trade for corn. Will Beal. 2t.

Stay with your old home paper when times are hard. It needs you then more than at any other time.

Buy Red Seal Batteries—they are guaranteed good. Fresh supply just received. Hondo Auto Sales Co.

The Hondo Garage & Repair Shop, Carter & Haase, proprietors, will do your work right and at a reasonable price. tf.

For Sale, Two gentle work mules, 5 and 6 years old. Apply to Willie Boehle, Dunlay, Texas, telephone 2 R. 2-1. 2mo. pd.

We wish to go to press with this paper soon after noon on Friday of each week and in order to do so must have copy in early—please.

A complete stock of wagon and buggy material just received and we are prepared to do any kind of repair work on your vehicles. Mechler & Co. 48-tf

We pay the highest price for country produce. We deliver fruits and vegetables to any part of city at any time. Phone 200. L. Barrientes & Sons.

I have opened a first-class restaurant in the Mask building. Good 25c meals at regular hours. Short orders at all hours from 6 a. m. until 10 p. m. Give me a trial. R. G. Knowles. 49tf

For Sale, A few full-blood Plymouth Rock Cockerels and Pullets at \$1.00 each. Now is your chance to put some fine blood in your poultry flock cheap. First come, first pick. Apply at the Anvil Herald office.

M. F. Kennedy, Gus Rothe, Martin Zinsmeyer and Jack Peily, Misses Selma Koch, Clair Zinsmeyer, Gertrude Koch, Mesdames Ed. Zinsmeyer, H. S. Longley and Harry Wernette came over to Hondo last Saturday from D'Hanis to witness the basket ball game.

Billy Schweers yesterday sold to Hubert Butts of Hondo sixty-two steers which were later shipped out to Mr. Butts' feed lots at Hondo, where they will eat cotton seed on the grass. These steers were raised by Gus Ross of Blanco and were a well bred bunch. The price was not given out, but was said to be a good stiff one. Billy says the feeder market is strong now, but that D'Hanis is the champion sheep market. He bought some sheep out there awhile back, and he says that every time he set 'em up the boys would say "there, you, another sheep!"—San Antonio Express.

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For Sale, A 3-acre block of land half a mile south of depot at Hondo. J. A. Blackburn, Devine, Texas.

John G. Heyen is sick with pneumonia, but at last report was improving as rapidly as could be hoped for.

J. A. Weyerts came down from Alpine yesterday on a visit to Henry and Willie Poehler and other relatives in this section.

For Sale, A desirable building site in the Brown-Woods Addition to Hondo. For particulars apply to either member of the Hondo Land Co.

Henry V. and Herman E. Haass and F. G. Muennink were surveying and incidentally hunting up on Cypress Creek the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Zerr of D'Hanis were trading in Hondo yesterday. They presented this office with as fine a turnip and radish as we have ever seen.

Mr. and Mrs. Rothwell, who have been here some time in the interest of the Yeoman order, left yesterday for their home in San Antonio.

This paper will be issued a little early next week on account of Christmas. Parties having copy for the paper are urged to get it in early.

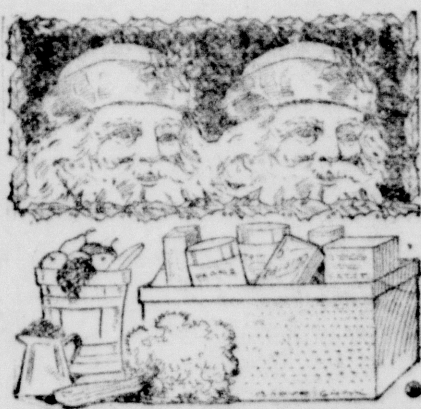
For Sale, A new five-room house and two large lots in Fly Addition to Hondo. Big barn and outhouses. For price and terms see S. E. Heber or write him at Tarpley. 4t.

The first of the week was the coldest weather of the winter, ice forming several nights. As we go to press it is warmer and drizzling. Roads are so muddy as to make travel almost impossible.

Mr. and Mrs. Leopold Brieden Jr. and baby returned to their home in San Antonio Thursday after a two month's stay here with Mr. Brieden's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leopold Brieden Sr.

At the regular meeting of the local lodge of Odd Fellows Thursday night four candidates were given the third degree. The attendance contest is attracting considerable interest and so far remains a tie.

This has been a quiet week at the courthouse, almost nothing of news value occurring. A license trial of a Mexican woman from Lytle was begun but had to be postponed on account of absent witnesses.



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140.00 Henney Surreys at	123.50
130.00 Henney Surreys at	112.00
75.00 P. & O. Buggies at	55.00
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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1914.

Hang Up Baby's Stocking

Hang up the baby's stocking,
Be sure you don't forget
The dear little dimpled darling,
She never saw Christmas yet.
But I've told her all about it,
And she opened her big blue eyes,
And I'm sure she understands it,
She looked so funny and wise.
Dear! what a tiny stocking
It doesn't take much to hold
Such little pink toes as baby's
Away from the frost and the cold.
And then for the baby's Christmas,
It never would do at all,
Why Santa wouldn't be looking
For anything half so small.
I know what we'll do for the baby,
I've thought of the very best plan,
I'll borrow a stocking from Grandma—
The longest that ever I can;
And you'll hang it by mine, dear
Mother.
Right here in the corner, so,
And write a letter to Santa
And pin it on the toe.
Write: "This is the baby's stocking,
That hangs in the corner here,
You never have seen her, Santa,
For she only came this year;
But she's just the blissest baby!
And now before you go,
Just cram her stockings with goodies
From the top clean down to the toe."
—Selected

TRY this paper one year for
one dollar.

Be careful with your holiday
fire-works and avoid fires.

Who courts disaster may ex-
pect to find himself wedded to
misery!

Let whomever will bluster
and brag;
Who does things has not time
to chew the rag!

"GET in the middle of the
road" and pay your road tax
before January the first if you
want to be exempt from road
duty next year.

The old-fashioned man who
used to make a breakfast of
boiled oats now has a son who
makes a breakfast of distilled
corn.—West Texas Magazine.

Let a spirit of love prompt
your Christmas giving or else
withhold your hand. Only the
unselfish gift can bring true
pleasure either to the giver or
the recipient.

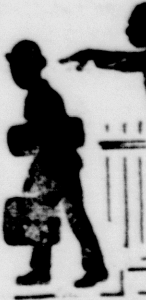
The rattlesnake carries con-
cealed weapons, but he is a gen-
tleman compared with the hu-
man reptile of similar habits,
because he always gives us fair
warning when to prepare for
slaughter.—West Texas Maga-
zine.

The McCauley Star is a late
addition to our exchange list.
The Star was recently estab-
lished by P. L. Telford, the founder
of The D'Hanis Star. The Star
is well patronized by local ad-
vertisers and has every prospect
of success.

Kuzn Bill has at last been
convinced that the world is
round. Every time he leaves
Alpine he circles right back to
that point.—Hondo Anvil Her-
ald. No sign in that. One of
my legs is longer than the other.
—Alpine Avalanche.

WHAT we call a real cranky
woman is one who will make her
husband stop and button her
dress down the back when he is
busy reading the baseball news
and then won't button his collar
for him when he is in a hurry to
get to the club.—West Texas
Magazine.

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els. Sugar-coated, tiny granules, easy
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The farmer who is trying to
hold his cotton without housing
it from the weather has taken
the back track on Prosperity
road and is more apt to arrive at
the poor house than the house
of content. Take care of your
cotton or else sell it for what
you can get and quit com-
plaining. The cotton that one
may see tumbled around most
any gin in this country would
convince any one that this ad-
vice is timely.

The greatest man is he who
chooses right with the most in-
vincible resolution; who resists
the sweet temptation from with-
in and without; who bears the
heaviest burdens cheerfully;
who is calmest in storms and
most fearless under menaces
and frowns; whose reliance on
truth, on virtue and on God is
most unfaltering.—Seneca.

We note from the Charlotte
Citizen that V. F. Miller, former-
ly editor of The D'Hanis News,
is now the local editor of that
paper. Editor Dan W. Huffer
must have struck it rich in
Charlotte to be able to employ
an editor to do the work. Here
is wishing continued success to
all bof' uv 'em!



Jim, Run This Editorial Tomorrow

THE law-abiding citizens
of this city want the
privilege of drinking
beer—the drink of True
Temperance. They are
weary of blind tigers, speak-
easies, blind pigs, holes in
the wall—the off-springs of
prohibition.

Prohibition has driven
away the material pros-
perity of the people. It has
cut off from this community
the revenue derived from
decent beer saloons and has
increased intemperance. It
has largely increased public
expense in the vain effort
to enforce laws which can-
not possibly be enforced.
It has added seriously to
the burden of taxation. It
has depreciated the value
of real estate. It has thrown
many out of work. It has
discouraged investment—
capital has learned to shun
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want—the right to drink mod-
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—Advertiser

War, Work and Waste.

The high cost of living is here,
and living is going to be higher
yet, before it is lower.

And these higher prices will
not be the result of conspiracy.
It will be a question of supply
and demand.

However, "high" or "low"
are comparative terms. Buying
power is the vital thing, not low
prices. And for a time at least
Americans are going to make
money.

To secure food is man's pri-
mal need. This has always been
the most important business in
the world, and it always will be.

Hunger is the first incentive
in migration.

Our ancestors belonged to the
Aryan race. They had their
rise in the uplands of India.
And out of India came the
swarming, hungry hordes, in
six great migrations.

The first migration stopped on
the fertile banks of the Nile, and
there civilization was born.

The wealth of Egypt came
from the raising of wheat. The
overflow of the Nile supplied
moisture and fertility, and the
soil laughed a harvest.

The next migration was that
of the Assyrians, who settled on
the banks of the Euphrates and
the Tigris.

And there they built two great
cities, Babylon and Nineveh.

And rich as were the plains of
Assyria, food failed at times.

In the Bible we read an ac-
count of how certain of these
Assyrians were compelled to go
down into Egypt and beg for
food. And we learn, later, how
Joseph, with the help of the
Egyptians, cornered the corn
market, and violated the Sher-
man act.

From Assyria the tide of mi-
gration moved on to Greece, and
from Greece to Rome.

Each of these great world
powers—Egypt, Assyria, Greece
and Rome—had its basis in
agriculture.

Out of the surplus that the
farmers produced, the cities
were built.

All great municipalities had
their rise in a herdsman's camp;
then came the fort; next a trad-
ing-post; then a city.

But no city can continue great
that is not supported by a pros-
perous agricultural district.

In the time of Alexander,
three hundred and fifty years
before Christ, we hear of the
hungry Persian hordes march-
ing upon Greece.

Prices of foodstuff aviated,
and the Persians were compelled
to do something, just as we are
today.

All and each of these proud,
great civilizations, in turn, were
brought low when the farmer
ceased to be prosperous.

Power in the past has centered
in the cities.

The farmers were plucked of
their best. War and the cities
drained them of their men, and
of their treasure.

Finally, nothing but the cities
remained, and then these cities
went down into the dust of for-
getfulness.—By Elbert Hub-
bard.

Basket Ball.

Saturday afternoon, at 3:30, the
Hondo High School second basket ball
team played the D'Hanis High School.
The game was played on the court at
the Hondo High School Building.

The lineup was:

Hondo	D'Hanis
Isabel Schneider	Melvine Longley
Laura Grell	Nora Brown
Bessie Brucks	Hattie Koch
Ruth Rothe	Annie Reilly

Hondo	D'Hanis
Kathleen Lynch	Helen Enderle
Nora Karrer	Gertrude Reilly
Officials: Referee, Miss Williams;	
Umpire, Miss Ruby Locklin. Lines-	
men: Miss Marjorie Fohn, Edgar	
Stiegler, Martin Zinsmeyer, and M.	
F. Kennedy. Time-keepers: Miss	
Hallie Walker and Mr. Jack Reilly.	
Scorers: Misses Walker and Reilly.	
Scores: Hondo 20, D'Hanis 11.	

The work of the officials was en-
tirely satisfactory to all. The feature
of the game was the team work of the
Hondo girls.

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This Department is in charge of our Authorized Agent for Castrovilla,
ED H. HUEHNER, Editor
who is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper and to whom items intended for this page should be submitted.—Editor.

We failed to mention in our last week's letter that Mr. C. L. Marty and family had moved back into our midst.

Merchant P. C. Jagge and brother, Fred, were San Antonio business visitors Monday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Tom J. Bendale of Francisco on Monday, Dec. 7th, a son.

Nic. L. Tschirhart was a San Antonio business visitor Monday.

Tinner Kilby Old Boy, and Assistant, Arthur Holzhaus and Tony Kilhorn, returned from Lytle Monday evening where they had been the past week, plying the tinner's trade.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Biediger Jr. were Alamo City business visitors Monday. The Feast of Immaculate Conception was observed at St. Louis Catholic Church, religious services being held both morning and noon.

Tschirhart Brothers and other near and dear relatives received the sad tidings of the demise of their brother and uncle, Emil Tschirhart, of San Antonio Thursday morning, and the same evening Mrs. Louise Kieffer received a message stating that her stepson, Louis Kieffer, of Del Rio, had departed this life. Both men were born and raised at Castrovilla and count their friends down here by scores. We sincerely join in sympathy with the bereaved and grief-stricken families. May they rest in peace.

The same day Col. J. B. Wernette received the sad news that his nephew by marriage, Mr. Fred Alderson, of San Antonio, non-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Jose Wernette was seriously scalded by the explosion of a defective steam pipe, at the San Antonio Gas plant while endeavoring to repair same. He was in a critical condition, but is still alive.

Caught Deer In Motor Boat.

C. L. Farrer was riding in the pasture Monday, when his dog started a deer. After running about a mile, it undertook to swim the reservoir. Mr. Farrer called to the boys to come, with the motor boat, ran back to where the deer was, turning it from the opposite shore by shooting into the water ahead of it. His cartridges gave out, but his wife and little girl reached him with more, and he kept him in the water until the boys made the half-mile run in the boat; and overtaking it, one of the boys caught its horns and cut its throat. It dressed 117 pounds and wore an eleven-point suit of horns.

Catching a deer in a boat; fish splashing around you; swarms of ducks watching you, and big droves of wild turkeys drifting down grassy slope, to water; on a beautiful, Spring-like day.

Can you beat it? That's in ten miles of Bandera; and in nature's own beauty-spot.—Bandera Enterprise.

Posted.

The public is hereby notified that my pastures are posted according to law and hunting is strictly forbidden. Trespassers will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. All permits heretofore given are now void.

ab-s 3m MRS. EMMA ROTHE.

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Notice To Tax Payers.

Notice is hereby given that I will be at the following named places for the purpose of collecting State and County Taxes for 1914, on dates as follows:

Devine, January 4, 5, 6, 1915.
Natala, " 7, 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Lacoste, " 8, 1915.
Chiff, " 11, 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Riomedina, " 12, 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Castrovilla, " 13, 14, 15, 1915.
D'Hanis, " 18, 19, 1915.
Quini, " 20, 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Dunlay, " 21, 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Biry, " 22, 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Respectfully,
JOE NEY,
Tax Collector, Medina County.
P. S.—The Tax Assessor will be with me so as to enable you to make rendition of your property for 1915.
—J. N.

Sabinal Sentinel Siftings.

Rev. J. H. Bohmfalk preached at Reagan Wells Sunday.—Rio Rio Cor.

Mr. T. E. Wyatt went to Hondo last Friday night to bring Miss Sarah home.

Mr. Ridley made a business trip to D'Hanis Saturday morning.

Mrs. Jacob Reinhart returned Friday of last week from Castrovilla where she was visiting her sister.

Mr. John A. Head of Bandera was in Sabinal several days last week delivering fruit trees for the Austin Nursery.

Mr. J. J. Knight made a business trip to Hondo Monday.

Your Cold is Dangerous. Break It Up—Now.

A Cold is readily catching. A run-down system is susceptible to Germs. You owe it to yourself and to others of your household to fight the Germs at once. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey is fine for Colds and Coughs. It loosens the Mucous, stops the Cough and soothes the Lungs. It's guaranteed. Only 25c at your Druggist.



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is fond of personal adornment, but to be truly appreciated your present to her should not be trashy, for it is vulgar and reverts to barbarism. We have articles for a wide variance of purposes, at almost any price, make your selections here, you won't have to worry for fear she will look the Gift Horse in the mouth.

V. A. Crow

LACOSTE DOTS.

Items of Interest Culled from The Herald.

A most delightful surprise party was given Miss Jessie Matthews at her home here on Wednesday, December 2. The occasion being the young lady's eighteenth birthday anniversary.

Mrs. Otto Wurzbach left for Del Rio Thursday night to attend the funeral of Louis Kieffer, who died there Thursday morning.

Mr. Louis Biediger is on the indisposed list this week.

We are glad to note that Mr. Louis Gross is up and about after being in bed for about three days.

Miss Mamie Matthews and brother, Clarence, from Lytle were here Friday evening.

Mr. D. R. Bippert and wife and Mrs. Lena Kieffer and daughter autoed to San Antonio Monday.

Mrs. Matt Jungman and sister, Miss Caroline Bohl, visited relatives here Saturday.

Miss Meta Pikert of Victoria is the guest of Miss Mayme Reicherzer.

Henry Franzer and Gus Tripp of Macdona were here Sunday.

Misses Martha and Hattie Bippert and Frank Biry visited Miss Alma Bippert Sunday.

Paul Jungman visited relatives at Mustang Prairie for a few days.

Miss Olga Drofcourt of Castrovilla is visiting here this week.

Messrs. Joe Tschirhart and wife, Joe Tschirhart Jr. and Wm. Renken of Noonan were the guests of Henry Mangold and family this week.

Mr. L. C. Luckenbach made a business trip to San Antonio last Thursday.

Messrs. Paul Christlies, Geo. Schuehle and Alfred Mangold accompanied Mr. E. F. Hillard to San Antonio where he boarded the train for Liberty to be at the bedside of his father-in-law.

Mr. Alfred Bohl and family of Devine spent Sunday with Alex Jungman and family.

Messrs. Alfred Ehlinger and Paul Keller of Devine were here Sunday visiting relatives.

Mrs. Otto Jungman and Miss Regina Mangold were Castrovilla visitors last week end.

Mr. Chas. Haldy and family were San Antonio visitors last Monday.

Mrs. Anton Krause of San Antonio spent Wednesday with Mrs. M. A. Kauffman.

Mrs. C. McGarr went to San Antonio Thursday.

Mr. Hubert Zaercher and wife of Castrovilla were Lacoste visitors Thursday.

Gus Kroeger and children were San Antonio visitors one day this week.

Dave Bippert and family autoed to San Antonio Monday on business and pleasure.

Frank Keller made a business trip to San Antonio Wednesday.

Henry Mangold and E. W. Tschirhart left Thursday with a load of lumber, from one of our local dealers, to erect an addition to Mr. Mangold's farm residence near Noonan.

Joe Poerner and family of Black Creek were Lacoste visitors this week.

Mr. John Biry of Castrovilla was in to see us yesterday and said things at his farm came out fine this year. He made something over 5,000 bushels of corn and a good crop of oats.

Keep It Handy For Rheumatism

No use to squirm and wince and try to wear out your Rheumatism. It will wear you out instead. Apply some Sloan's Liniment. Need not rub it in—just let it penetrate all through the affected parts, relieve the soreness and draw the pain. You get ease at once and feel so much better you want to go right out and tell other sufferers about Sloan's. Get a bottle of Sloan's Liniment for 25 cents of any druggist and have it in the house—against Colds, Sore and Swollen Joints, Lumbago, Sciatica and like ailments. Your money back if not satisfied, but it does give almost instant relief. Buy a bottle today.

H. W. Butts of Hondo was in on a short business trip Tuesday. He has a string of steers eating cotton seed on the grass and, of course, he will from this time forward be very much interested in watching the trend of the fat cattle market. "The silo fever will, no doubt, strike in our way before long, as we have them south and west of us," said he, "but cotton seed looks like a safe and economical ration just now. The change in the weather is making the cattle eat all right and we are expecting a good market, at least in the next sixty or ninety days."—San Antonio Express.

Miss Celestine Bihartz returned on Thursday from Hinds, Texas, from a hunting trip accompanied by several members of her family. Miss Bihartz had two bucks to her credit bringing the last one killed with her. She will have one deer head mounted as a remembrance of her first hunt. Her father, as well as her brothers, were in highest glee over her marksmanship, when they heard the news.—Moore Model.



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HUSBAND RESCUED DESPAIRING WIFE

After Four Years of Discouraging
Conditions, Mrs. Bullock Gave
Up in Despair. Husband
Came to Rescue.

Catron, Ky.—In an interesting letter from this place, Mrs. Bettie Bullock writes as follows: "I suffered for four years, with womanly troubles, and during this time, I could only sit up for a little while, and could not walk anywhere at all. At times, I would have severe pains in my left side.

The doctor was called in, and his treatment relieved me for a while, but I was soon confined to my bed again. After that, nothing seemed to do me any good.

I had gotten so weak I could not stand, and I gave up in despair.

At last, my husband got me a bottle of Cardui, the woman's tonic, and I commenced taking it. From the very first dose, I could tell it was helping me. I can now walk two miles without its tiring me, and am doing all my work."

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Margaret gets to the house party and narrates her experiences. She has not finished her story when her hostess' uncle, a rather fussy old person, enters, announcing that he has been warned he is to be robbed of a valuable heirloom, so he has come to his niece's with it to thwart the would-be burglars.

But he is robbed in his niece's house, and the burglars who rob him leave Margaret's vanity box on the floor. Our Mutual Girl, using this as a clue, hunts up the robbers after an exciting chase. The story ends with a happy Thanksgiving dinner that is mighty pretty to look at.

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Hermann Sons Elect.

At the annual election of the local order of Sons of Hermann held Sunday afternoon the following officers were elected: Joe Fohn, ex-president; Matt Rath, president; Felix Batton, vice-president; J. M. Finger, secretary and financial secretary; J. J. Droitcourt, treasurer; Leo Batton, leader; A. J. Graff, inner watch; O. H. Miller, Toby Koch and Joe Hueser, trustees; L. A. Mechler, L. A. Stiegler and Fritz Wehlchlegel, finance committee; Joe Fohn delegate to the grand lodge, and L. A. Stiegler, alternate.

Notice Share-Holders' Meeting.

The regular annual meeting of the share-holders of the First National Bank of Hondo, Texas, will be held at its banking house on the second Tuesday in January, the same being the 12th day of January 1915, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing Directors for the ensuing year and to transact such other business as may come before the meeting.

GEO. W. JONES,
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Notice to Public.

I wish to announce that I have leased my garage to Messrs. Carter & Haass, and I know my customers will receive better service as I am often away selling cars when they need assistance. Mr. Carter is a good mechanic and will give you a clean deal. Remember I handle the best tires made.

Yours truly,
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Notice.

Pay-up time is here. The Blacksmiths need money just the same as others. Your yearly accounts are past due. We will appreciate an early settlement of same. Don't put it off. Do it now. Thanks in advance. Yours for better service,
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Mexican grubbers while grubbing up on Fritz Friehs' ranch, north of Hondo Saturday, dug up an old-time flint and steel shot gun. The wooden stock had rotted away but the flint was still intact in the hammer. The gun was buried only about a half a foot under the ground and around it was found ashes, charcoal and some bones. Whether or not the bones are human or from some other animal can not be determined. Mr. Friehs has the ancient relic on exhibition at his saloon.

A Mexican child on the J. P. Nixon ranch was kicked in the face and severely injured by a horse one day the first of the week. While badly disfigured the child will recover.

The Rounds Specialty Company gave one of the best musical entertainments ever given in Hondo at the Auditorium Wednesday night. Those who failed to attend missed a treat.

We will pay 10c per pound for all the Turkeys you can bring us until Dec. 18th.

Hondo Commission Co.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Mechler returned Sunday from San Antonio where they had been to attend the funeral of the late Emil Tschirhart.

A carnival company held forth all last week on College Square. They disbanded Sunday and left for other parts.

Call on Carter & Haass at Gaines' old stand for all kinds of auto repairing. tf.

Get your gasoline, oils and greases at the Hondo Garage & Repair Shop.

The public school closed yesterday for a two weeks holiday.

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Noonan Notes.

George Blatz and Charlie Pierce of Noonan spent Saturday at Devine.

Mr. Moore of Bigfoot spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. George Farris at Noonan.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kempf were callers at Lytle Friday.

Mr. Joe Salzman and Mr. Albert Salzman and Mr. Conrad were Lacoste visitors Friday.

Max Koehler was a Devine visitor Friday.

Misses Frieda Richerson, Lizzie and Alvina Kempf and Joe Kempf and George Chattman of Noonan attended the show at Lytle Thursday night.

Mr. Harvey Green of Yancey was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Farris and family Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Cory and family of Black Hill have moved into our midst.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Adams and children and Mr. and Mrs. Cobles and children have moved here from Pearsall.

Mrs. Nick Tschirhart of Noonan was a Castroville visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Droitcourt and children have moved back to Castroville.

Mr. Frank Lowe and grandson, Archie Farris, were San Antonio visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Jenkins of our neighborhood took her many friends by surprise by going to Devine and getting married. Mr. Coker of Devine was seen on our streets Tuesday.

Lizzie and Alvina Kempf were Castroville visitors Tuesday.

Mr. Harvey Green and sister, Miss Maurine, were seen in our midst one day last week.

Mr. Henry Kempf took a load of turkeys to Lytle Friday which brought 11 cents a pound.

Mr. Charlie Griffens of Devine was seen in our midst.

Mr. Otto Koehler is very sick this week.

Mr. Ed Mann of Atascosa and Mr. Will Jungman of Lacoste were the guests of Jessie Heath one day last week.

Dec. 15, 1914.

From Haass Settlement.

The Haass University Home and School League met at the school house Saturday afternoon, December 12, with most of the members present. Miss Louisa Bandle presided. The pupils of the school rendered a short program, consisting of songs and recitations, and the teacher read a paper on School Conditions in Texas.

The League then voted to buy a library to consist of two sets of books for each of the lower grades and some reference books for the other grades. Each patron is to buy one book for each of their children and attempts will be made to get other donations.

The need of new blackboards and a globe for the school was discussed and the trustees were asked to provide them. Three new members were added.

The lunch served by the ladies was very much enjoyed by all. After the lunch three games of "Volley Ball" were played in which all joined and was immensely enjoyed by young and old. The league is proving itself an enjoyable social feature and we would be glad to see more join.

The next meeting will be held on the last Saturday in January at one o'clock in the afternoon when lunch will again be served. We welcome every one and assure them an enjoyable afternoon. THE SECRETARY.
Noonan, Tex., Dec. 14, 1914.

Pleasant Surprise.

Last Saturday night a number of young folks surprised Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Schweers at their home near Hondo.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Schweers, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wiemers and baby, Misses Dora, Clara, Hilma, Lizzie and Olga Schweers, Johnnie and Lena Bohmfalk, Alama Wiemers, Rica and Nettie Muennink, Hulda, Lizetta and Anna Hardt, Messrs. Adolph and Frank Graff, George, Emil and Fritz Bohmfalk, Harry Heyen, Walter Stephen, Fred and Anton Hardt, George Heyen, Bennie and Oswald Oefinger, Herman Lindeburg, Emil Riff, Emil and Henry Muennink, Fred J. Brucks, Theodore Wiemers, Hugo, George, Leo, Bruno, Horace and Charles Schweers.

The evening was spent in playing all kinds of games. At a late hour refreshments of cake, coffee and lemonade were served, after which all departed for their homes having enjoyed themselves very much.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pichot arrived Saturday from their honeymoon trip to Austin.

Epworth League Program.

Sunday, Dec. 20, 1914.

Leader, Laurie Woolls.
Song No. 107.
Prayer.
Subject, "The Most Beautiful Birthday Song."
Scripture, Luke II, 46-55.
Song 121.
Scripture references, by Leaguers.
Talk, "The Coming of Jesus an Occasion of Joy," Mr. Crain.
Vocal Solo, Hulda Muennink.
Talk, "Does Christ Still Come to Earth," Miss Bertha Newton.
Song 112.
Sentence prayers.
Talk, "The Things that Crowd Jesus Out," Verna Mae Hudspeth.
Song 123.
Benediction.

Sunday, Dec. 27, 1914.

Leader, Marvin Beal.
Song 383.
Prayer.
Subject, "A Larger Life and Growing Ideals."
Scripture, Phil. III, 13, 14.
Song 409.
Talk, "The Old Year and the New," Lola Buchanan.
Instrumental solo, Nellie Wilson.
One-minute talks by Leaguers: "My Aim for 1915."
Song No. 317.
Benediction.

Busy Bee Program.

Sunday, Dec. 20th, 3 P. M.
Leader, Gladys Newton.
Song, No. 682.
Prayer.
Bible reading, Matthew 10-26-32.
Responsive reading, Romans 12 9-21.
Reading, Helen Lacy.
Recitation, Lucile Newton.
Instrumental Solo, Irene Roberts.
Reading, Selma Stiegler.
Recitation, Ruth Fly.
Bible questions, by members.
Song, 677.
Benediction.

Sunday, Dec. 27, 3 P. M.
Leader, Emma Short.
Bible reading, Luke 2-8-16
Song, No. 123.
Prayer.
Responsive reading, Psalm 18.
Duet, Evelyn Lacy and Gladys Woolls.
Story of the birth of Christ, Elizabeth Fly.
Recitation, Ruth Windrow.
Violin Solo, Irene Saxthoff.
Story of Jesus' visit to the temple, Sam Newman.

The things about Jesus as a boy that I admire, William Wanshall.
Recitation, Will Ernest Newton.
Recitation, Nettie Fly.
Song, No. 636.
Benediction.

Surprise Party.

Friends of Henry Friehs gave him a grand surprise at his home north of town Saturday night in honor of his 42nd birthday. A fine supper was spread and the evening happily spent in dancing and other social diversions.

The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. Louis Leinweber and children, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Leinweber, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Friehs, Mr. and Mrs. Schlenz, Mr. and Mrs. Hy. Friehs, Misses Ida, Helen and Hulda Leinweber, Ella, Bessie and Lillie Friehs, Eulah Cameron and Messrs. Aug. Leinweber, Charlie Schuehle, Willie Leinweber, Eddie Moehring, Louis Graff, Andrew Bless, Relf and Erwin Friehs.

The crowd dispersed at a late hour after wishing Mr. Friehs many happy returns of the day.

Married.

At 7 o'clock Tuesday evening, December 8, 1914, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Conkater in Dallas, Texas, Mr. H. G. Hardt of Yancey, Texas, and Mrs. Carrie L. Woodward of Dallas, were happily married, Rev. C. C. Grannon, pastor of the Methodist church at that place, officiating.

Mr. Hardt is a well-to-do stock-farmer of the Yancey neighborhood, and his bride is a graduate trained nurse of San Antonio and Dallas.

The happy pair arrived in Hondo Saturday, December 12th, and are now at home on Mr. Hardt's farm near Yancey.

The Anvil Herald extends congratulations and best wishes.

Notice.

We have an order for a large shipment of Turkeys about Dec. 15th. If we can get enough to make shipment by freight we can pay you much better prices. It will be to the interest of all who have turkeys to sell to write or phone us and tell us the number they expect to market.

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